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Approved with changes indicated
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/s/ JAB

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Director of Basic and Geographic Intelligence
THRU : Deputy Director of Basic and Geographic Intelligence
Chief, Cartography Division, OBG

24 September 1968

Communist China Provincial Administrative Map Folio

1. Approval is requested of the following plans for the completion and publication of the Communist China Provincial Administrative Map Folio.

As of this date, all 27 maps in the Folio have been compiled and approximately one half have been sent to drafting. The Carto Construction Section has drafted two with one being printed as a proof of design and color selection.

Since this project has a low priority, the Division has had some unavoidable delays, and I therefore, hesitate to advise you of a firm completion date. In all probability printed copy will not be available until some time in March 1969 unless we assign it a higher priority which, of course, could adversely affect our other work. We plan to complete it with all possible speed, hopefully using the drafting capabilities of new employees who are still in their training program, with some assistance of the Carto Construction Section. The drafting and checking should be completed and ready for PHD by early February. I assume the text and charts being prepared by GD will also be completed by then. Because of the relative simplicity of the Folio, the reproduction should be accomplished in much less time than that of the earlier folio.

2. The following is our proposal as to size, format, quantities, etc. The Map Library Division has concurred in the quantities to be printed.

Size - 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ ", same as Communist China Folio
Contents - 25 province maps, 2 overall maps, charts and text.
Cover - Sample of cover stock attached. OBG to purchase at
estimated cost of [REDACTED]

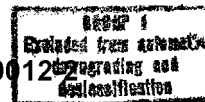
Press Runs - Four color, process colors and black.
Classification - Unclassified, no Control, attribution on cover
same as Communist China Folio.

Distribution - Same as Communist China Folio
Bound copies - ~~6,000~~ 5,500
Unbound copies - ~~2,000~~ 1,500
(As of this date MLD has 1,450 bound copies remaining of the earlier folio)

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by 500

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No need for this. 3. A limited number of copies (6 - 10 unless contracted out) could be prepared by PSD with "executive" type hardboard covers, if desired.

4. Because of the long lead time to order cover stock, an early approval of the sample inclosed would be appreciated.

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Attachment

Distribution:

- Orig. & 1 - Addressee (w/attach) ✓
- 1 - GD/BGI
- 1 - DCh/CD/BGI
- 1 - Ch/CD/F
- 1 - Ch/CD/T
- 2 - CD/BGI

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